

U.S. Application, No. 09/828,407  
Reply to Final Office Action dated June 16, 2006

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450100-03127

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Hiroaki Adachi, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/828,407  
For : DEVICE, METHOD, AND SYSTEM FOR VIDEO  
EDITING, AND COMPUTER READABLE  
RECORDING MEDIUM HAVING VIDEO  
EDITING PROGRAM RECORDED THEREON  
Filed : April 6, 2001  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 16, 2006, having a three-month  
statutory period for response set to expire on September 18, 2006 (September 16, 2006 being a  
Saturday), please amend the above-captioned application as follows.

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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.  
 The fee has been calculated as shown below.  
 This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

## Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	16	Minus	** = 20	* 0 x	\$50 (25)	= \$0
Independent claims	4	Minus	*** = 4	* 0 x	\$200 (100)	= \$0
Total additional fee for this amendment						\$0

\* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

\*\* If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

\*\*\* If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$300 (150) has been previously paid , or is paid herewith .

This response is being filed within the \_\_\_ month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a \_\_\_ month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_ is attached, which covers the cost of  additional claims  petition for extension of time.

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